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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT  
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b),  
37 CFR 1.155(c), OR 37 CFR 1.316(c)**

Docket Number 42P4537

First named inventor: Melik Isbara et al.

Application No.: 09/964,876

Group Art Unit: 1765

Filed: 9/9/1997

Examiner: Wells, Kenneth B.

**Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INTERFACING MIXED VOLTAGE SIGNALS**

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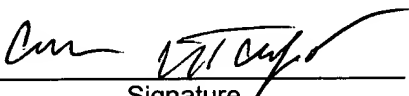
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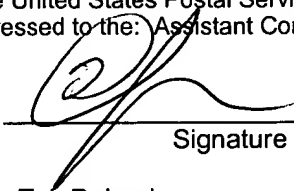
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